

SHORT STORY TEST

50 pts

Name _____

1. Turning point
2. Learned through what a person says, what he/she does and what others say about the person
3. Detailed description of something that happened in the past
4. Universal truth
5. All knowing point of view
6. References to a famous literary work
7. Unexpected twist in the plot
8. Author's attitude toward his subject
9. Sequence of events in a story
10. The feeling that a work of literature produces to the reader
11. Character's problem
12. Literary work typically read in one sitting

climax
Characterization
flashback
Theme
omniscient
allusion
irony
tone
plot
mood
conflict
short story

a.) O'Henry b.) Poe c.) Doyle

- b 1. Dealt with the macabre
- b 2. Father of the detective story.
- a 3. Typically used irony
- c 4. Once a doctor
- a 5. Imprisoned at one time
- b 6. Lead an unhappy life
- b 7. A poet as well as a short story writer
- b 8. Main character couldn't deal with his conscience
- c 9. Resurrected a main character due to popular demand
- a 10. Wrote about the common people

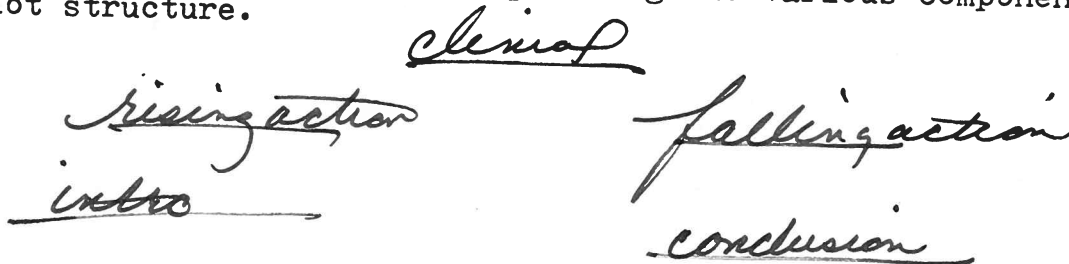
ESSAY

Briefly discuss five characteristics of O'Henry's style or Poe's.

- O'Henry
1. common people
 2. irony
 3. humorous / serious
 4. city settings
 5. use of simile & metaphors to create mood

Poe
 murder mystery is
 dreary
~~use of~~ great mood
 murder tells story
 bury people, gone

Draw a structured overview, explaining the various components of a plot structure.



3. Why were Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's stories in demand?

1. No T.V. etc
2. mysteries are popular
3. makes you think
4. Sherlock is a detective

4. How did Poe become a master at developing "mood"?

1. choice of descriptive words
2. use of setting
3. motives w/ style
4. character's people
5. What made it possible for O'Henry to capture the same popularity as Bill Cosby? 1st person

1. Detail of everyday life / everyone can relate to most the situation
 2. twists
 3. adding humor to the situation
 4. people w/ out money.
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